

The National Register of Historic Places

Building Plaque Information

The New Hampshire Division of Historical Resources (DHR) encourages interested owners of historic properties to display National Register plaques as a means of recognizing and promoting the National Register program, but plaques are neither a requirement of the National Park Service or DHR. Plaques are not provided by the state or the National Park Service, but may be ordered by individual owners. While the DHR does not endorse any manufacturer of plaques, the following names and addresses of foundries are provided as a public service. These companies are known as experienced producers of National Register plaques. We also encourage owners to check with their local trophy and plaque stores to see what they may be able to provide.

Erie Landmark Company

637 Hempfield Hill Road
Columbia, PA 17512
1-800-874-7848
www.erielandmark.com

Colonial Brass Company

42 Connie Street
Taunton, MA 02780
1-800-549-8670
www.colonialbrass.com

Equestrian Forge

222 S King St
Leesbury, VA 22075
(703) 777-2110

Healey Brothers Foundry

PO Box 4
60 New River Road
Manville, RI 02838
1-800-626-3220

BLP Bronze International

3616 Highland Avenue
Niagara Falls, NY 14305
1-800-567-8383
www.blpbronze.com

Mills Manufacturing, Inc.

1920 Port City Blvd.
Muskegon, MI 49442
1-800-824-0813
www.millsmfg.com

As far as phrasing is concerned, the National Register has no formal requirements or suggestions, but here are a few typical and accurate examples:

This Property has been placed on the National Register of Historic Places by the United States Department of the Interior

or

(Historic name of your house) has been placed on the National Register of Historic Places by the United State Department of the Interior

You may want to indicate that the property is part of an historic district. In that case you may prefer:

This Property is part of the (name of historic district,) placed on the National Register of Historic Places by the Untied States Department of the Interior

or

The (historic name) House, part of the (name of historic district,) has been placed on the National Register of Historic Places by the United States Department of the Interior

Remember to be particularly careful when affixing the National Register plaque to your historic building in order to avoid unnecessary damage.

